

ALLIES CONSPIRE TO LOOT CHINA

Scandal of Japanese Duplicity Exposed in Senate

LOW GRADE BEER GETS KNOCKOUT

(By Associated Press)
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 15.—The government won a point in its fight against 24 per cent beer when the federal court overruled demurrers of thirteen officers and directors of brewing companies charged with violation of wartime prohibition law and holding the defendants for the November term of court.

LOTS OF BOOZE FOR THE THIRSTY

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 15.—Representative Blanton, Democrat of Texas, before the prohibition enforcement bill was taken up in the house, attacked Representative Gallivan, Democrat from Massachusetts, for Gallivan's speech yesterday, saying he had heard certain congressmen had enough liquor stored to last twenty years. Speaker Gillett ruled that Gallivan had violated no house rule.

CONGRESS INVESTIGATES CRUELTY TO PRISONERS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 15.—Investigation of charges of cruelty to the American military prisoners in France began before a special house war injury committee with the declaration by Chairman Royal Johnson of South Dakota that the "committee requests for information were ignored by the war department."

One Million Sheep Drowned By Floods in Argentina

(By Associated Press)
BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, July 15.—One million sheep and 100,000 cattle were drowned by floods in the southern part of Buenos Aires province and railroad and telegraph communication has been interrupted in several sections.

K. OF P. INSTALLATION BY MIZPAH LODGE

At the regular meeting of Mizpah Lodge No. 25, Knights of Pythias, held at their Castle Hall last evening the following officers were installed by Grand Chancellor John G. Huntington, assisted by Will Woodward, acting grand prelate, and B. M. Bateman, acting grand master at arms: Leo J. Lewis, chancellor; commandery, E. E. Penrose, vice chancellor; Wharton Anderson, keeper of records and seal; James Currie, master of finance; C. D. Ziegler, master of exchange; Stanley P. Knight, master of work; Sam Finley, master at arms; S. T. Bentley, inner guard; George Schmid, outer guard.

Resolutions of sympathy with Past Chancellor W. W. Booth were adopted on the death of his son, Kenneth.

TODAY'S WEATHER

By local observer United States
Weather Bureau:
Temperature: 5 a. m. 67
Current 67 86
Wind 54 59
Relative humidity 45 22
Temperature Extremes
1919 1918
Maximum yesterday 87 69
Minimum yesterday 68 52

Mine Sweeper Sunk With Seven Of Crew

... sacrifice of national sovereignty. Senator Lodge, Republican leader, charged the senate during the debate that the Shantung settlement was the price paid for Japan's signature to the league of nations with holding him under consideration.

LONDON, July 15.—General Perham arrived with his staff today to participate in the peace celebration. He was met at Dover by General Sir Henry S. Horne with an honor guard.

HIBERNIANS IN ENORMOUS LOSS IN CHILI STORM

(By Associated Press)
SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—Celebration of St. Ignace high mass by Archbishop Edward K. Hanna opened the fifty-first annual convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians of the United States and Canada here. Many noted clergy were present from both countries. Two thousand delegates are in attendance. Ten thousand other visitors are expected and special arrangements are being made for the reception of Eamon De Valera, president of the Irish republic, due to arrive here Thursday evening. A reception by state and city officials and a grand ball are part of today's program. The women's auxiliary also is in session.

HIGHER RATES FOR TRAMWAYS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 15.—Under existing conditions with the present average electric rate of 10 cents per kilowatt hour, the nation's electric railways are losing money. The commission was appointed by the president to investigate the situation, confront the railroads and transportation interests throughout the country.

SERGEANT A. C. DODSON LANDS FROM OVERSEAS

Sergeant A. C. Dodson has arrived from overseas, according to a wire received by his wife, formerly Della Gilbert. He came on the steamship Walter A. Luckenbach, which was berthed on the 11th. Allowing for the time of detention at the demobilization camp, the sergeant should arrive in Tonopah by the end of the month. He was engaged with the transport corps and his last station in France was Nevers.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH

Justice Grier held an inquest yesterday over the body of little Teddy Barbary, who was drowned in a tank and the jury brought in a verdict that death was due to accident. The body will be interred tomorrow afternoon in the same grave with the father in the local cemetery.

HENNESSEY CASE IN COURT

The case of the Spanish Bell Mines company against P. J. Hennessey, charged with appropriating to his use the sum of \$350, is before Justice Grier today after having been postponed from yesterday to 2 o'clock this afternoon.

GEORGE READING leaves tonight for Ranger, Texas, representing several large oil companies. He expects to return in two weeks.

RIOTS IN ITALY FOMENTED BY BOLSHEVIKI

(By Associated Press)
ROME, July 15.—Strike disorders have occurred in various places in Italy, marked by fights with carabinieri. Premier Nitti announced in the chamber of deputies that the government has taken measures to preserve order in view of the threat of a general strike throughout the country. Troops distributed throughout the country are provided with supplies in case they are cut off from their base. There is no reason for general strike, the premier said. The government will try to prevent bloodshed.

A general strike was begun at Gallarate, Italy. People there marched through the streets cheering for the soviet and forced dealers in foodstuffs and other necessities to reduce their prices 50 per cent. manifested, and this is a bit high.

MRS. ADDISON GOES TO REST

Mrs. E. H. Addison died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the sanatorium in Berkeley where she had been a patient for the past three months. In passing away the patient was attended by her husband and sister, Mrs. E. Wilson. The transition was peaceful and the spirit took its flight as gently as though the sufferer had entered into a sleep.

Mrs. Addison was the wife of E. H. Addison, deputy sheriff, who left here two weeks ago for the bedside when apprised that the patient showed signs of sinking. Mr. and Mrs. Addison came to Manhattan from Wyoming fourteen years ago and shortly after removed to Tonopah where they made their home ever since. Last winter Mrs. Addison was stricken with influenza and made a rapid recovery. This is believed to have proved her undoing for it brought on a relapse which taxed the remaining strength of the patient until it seemed unlikely that she would recover. On the advice of her physician she went to the coast and came back apparently recovered. The relapse did not last long before a constitutional weakness asserted itself and she had to be removed to Berkeley where she died. Mrs. Addison was a lady of sweet, uncomplaining disposition who made friends of all whom she met and her demise will be keenly felt by the residents of this community who have her in life and will deeply mourn her death.

BERLIN TRAMWAY EMPLOYEES VOTE FOR GENERAL STRIKE

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, July 15.—Employees of the tramways today voted for a continuation of the strike, though not by the requisite two-thirds majority. Despite this many men say they will continue the strike. Managers of the tramways announce that those not returning to work by Thursday will be considered discharged.

DEAD MAN'S BROTHER

A brother of Nick Sloan from Salida, Colo., was due to arrive last night to make arrangements for the funeral of his brother's body, but will not get in until tonight as he was routed from Salida via the Santa Fe system which took him nearly two days travel out of his way.

PERCY A. POLLOCK of the Midland Garage, has returned from Los Angeles.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 15.—The Senate adopted Lodge's resolution asking the president for information as to the alleged treaty negotiated between Japan and Germany in 1918.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—Senator Norris, Republican of Nebraska, charged in the senate today that Japan secretly secured pledges from Great Britain, France, Italy and Russia early in 1917, that in the peace settlement the Shantung peninsula should, for certain considerations, be turned over to Japan. Norris produced what he declared were copies of diplomatic correspondence embodying the promises of Great Britain and France.

Senator Norris said the documents clearly showed that while the governments mentioned were inducing China to get into the war to secure her assistance in getting possession of German ships in Chinese harbors, they secretly plotted her destruction as soon as she granted their wishes and the war was over. He termed it a disgraceful and dishonorable agreement to carve up territory not of an enemy but an ally. He said he favored the general idea of a league of nations, but considered the Versailles treaty contained many objectionable features and he would vote for changes.

He alleged that Great Britain's influence was secured by Japan's promise of support for British claims to the Pacific Islands south of the equator. France's aid was purchased by the promise of Japan to help draw China into the war so the German ships in the Chinese harbor would be available for carrying troops and provisions to France. Ratification of the treaty Norris said, would write the blackest page in the nation's history.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 15.—One officer and six men were killed in the destruction of the American mine-sweeper, Richard H. Buckley, by a mine in the North Sea, July 12. Two other officers were injured.

Two officers and sixteen men were rescued. The Buckley was engaged in removing a mine barrage when a mine became entangled with the sweeping cable and exploded under the stern. The vessel sank six minutes before aid could reach her. Commander Frank A. King remained on the bridge directing efforts to save the crew and went down with the ship. The remainder of the dead were killed by the explosion or were trapped below decks.

The foreign relations committee adopted the resolution of Senator Johnson of California requesting the president, if not incompatible with public interest, to furnish the committee virtually all documents con-

TRAINLOAD ORE FROM FLORENCE

The Florence Divide is arranging for the largest shipment that has been sent out of that camp for ten years. This will come from the Florence Divide lease on the Goldfield Florence and will comprise one express car filled with sacked high-grade and a freight train loaded with high class commercial ore. The value of the shipment is being kept a close secret but friends of the company say the value will be more than sufficient to pay a ten-cent dividend on the stock.

ROSETTA WILL DRIFT FROM 300-FOOT POINT

The Rosetta Divide shaft has cut the footwall of the ledge at a depth of 250 feet where values around \$22 have been had. The shaft will be carried down to the 300-foot point where a drift will be sent out.

A. R. HARLAM, a New York investor, is visiting the camp for the purpose of sizing up opportunities.

FORD SAYS WAR MEANS MURDERING

(By Associated Press)
MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich., July 15.—Henry Ford, plaintiff in the suit against the Chicago Tribune for a million dollars damages for libel as a witness was examined by the counsel for the paper as to what he meant when he said war is murder. The witness said he meant a war of aggression. He considered preparation for defense legitimate and said he considered professional soldiers and those making a living out of it murderers. He was asked if this included General Pershing. He replied "those who commit murder are murderers."

AMERICAN ARMY BADLY IMPAIRED

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 15.—American troops in France were of superb spirit but a bit "troggy as an army" when the armistice was signed was the statement to the war investigations committee by Colonel Fred Dinkelacker, former adjutant of the 3rd Division. The witness said he had been told that the transportation situation on the battlefield was so bad that the American army could not have kept on a month longer. French officers believed American troops were not given the shelter or care they should have had.

JULIUS GOLDSMITH WILL BRING IN AN APPERSON

Julius Goldsmith, who recently disposed of his holdings in the Tonopah Divide, will leave for San Francisco this evening to take delivery of an eight-cylinder Apperson car of the very latest model, which was shipped on sale last Monday. When Julius heard of the artistic excellence and artistic peacock blue finish he wired to hold the car for his use. He will return in two weeks handling the car himself over the Sierras and bring his family.

JOHN H. MILLER, president of the Divide Consolidated and other companies operating in the same territory, returned yesterday afternoon by car from the coast. He was accompanied by his son Harvey Miller and his partner, Alvey Adams.

BUTLER THEATRE

TODAY
The popular screen athlete
GEORGE WALSH

"LUCK AND PLUCK"

Speed, pep, thrills, risks, develop a lively comedy drama. Also review—greatest of one-reel features. Ford Educational Weekly—always good. Mutt & Jeff comedy—always funny.

GABY DESLYS

International stage star. Most talked of woman in the world the famous French dancer, in a romance of modern Paris.